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Sir:

This is in response of Examiner's telephone message of 11/11/2003 in the above identified case. Please amend the above identified application as follows:

In The Drawings:

Please amend FIG. 5 as shown in the drawing sheets labeled "Annotated Sheet Showing Changes" with the changed material shown circled in red. Replacement sheets are provided in accordance with applicable rules.

REMARKS

All claims have been allowed. The above drawing changes were made to satisfy requirements of the Examiner to correct obvious errors in the drawing and the specification.

CONCLUSION

With the above changes the application should be ready for issuance as a patent and Applicants respectfully request that this be done.

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